

SEABC Annual General Meeting, Dinner & Presentation



Date:	Wednesday March 4, 2015
Venue:	Sutton Place Hotel, 845 Burrard Street, Vancouver
Time:	5:30pm
Cost:	\$40+GST (SEABC Members), \$100+GST (Non-Members)
AGM:	Address from SEABC President and 3-course dinner
Keynote:	Chris Wise, RDI, FEng, FICE, HonFRIBA, MStructE Director, Structural Engineer at Expedition Engineering, London, UK
Registration:	www.seabc.ca/agm or use attached mail-in form

Keynote Presentation:

“They took a dead heap of stones.....”

*Jacob Bronowski in The Ascent of Man
Describes Gothic cathedrals as,
“Man’s superb synthesis arising out of an analysis of nature”.*

*His words lift the spirits
Cue up something about the way engineers design,
Our motivations and emotions involved,
From anger through despair,
Heading off to joy – always our Hope!*

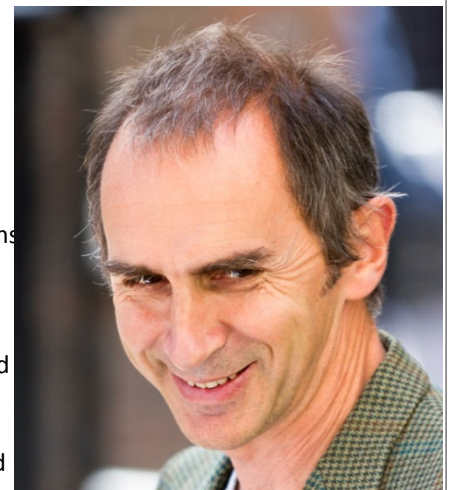
*If at first you don’t succeed -
The engineer’s interaction to this day
With the natural world and the humans within,
An ancient tale, that today’s engineers hold in Trust.*

*Let’s amble down that beaten path,
Together with **Chris Wise**,
And rekindle the core roots of –
Our world we call - Structural Engineering.*

Chris Wise is the Director and Structural Engineer at Expedition Engineering in London, UK. He co-founded Expedition in 1999, after a successful career with Arup - becoming their youngest director. Expedition has a trail-blazing ethos and runs as part of the Useful Simple Trust, an employee-benefit trust without human shareholders, which Chris chairs.

Either as design lead or with many of the world’s leading architects including Rogers, Foster, Hopkins and Renzo Piano, Chris is the guiding hand on the engineering of many projects including the 2012 Olympic Velodrome (IStructE Supreme Award-2012); American Air Museum, Duxford; Barcelona Bullring; London Millennium Bridge; Barcelona Communications Tower; Channel 4 HQ, London, Las Arenas Barcelona. According to Richard Rogers, “Chris thinks like an artist and acts like an engineer”.

In academia, Chris has been design professor first at Imperial College, London, then Yale, and since September 2012, at UCL, London. He served for 9 years as a Trustee for the Design Council. He was Master (President) of the RSA’s Royal Designers from 2007 to 2009, a position once held by Barnes Wallis. He is a Fellow of the Royal Academy of Engineering, and of the Institution of Civil Engineers, and an Honorary Fellow of the RIBA. In October 2012 he was awarded an unprecedented double, winning Gold Medals for outstanding contribution to engineering profession from both the IStructE and the ICE.





Structural Engineers Association of British Columbia

Mail-in Registration Form:
AGM, Dinner, & Presentation
March 4, 2015

You can also register online!
www.seabc.ca/agm
(secure credit card payment via PayPal)

Contact Information:

Name of Company or Individual _____
(Receipt will be issued in this name to email provided below)

Street Address _____ City, Province _____ Postal Code _____

Telephone _____ Email (receipt will be issued to this email address) _____

Registration Fees:

REGISTRATION DEADLINE February 28, 2015

Name(s) of Attendee(s)	SEABC Membership Number (Required for Member discount)	SEABC Member \$40	Non-Member \$100	Fees
1. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ _____
2. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ _____
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4. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ _____
5. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ _____
6. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ _____

Check one box per attendee

Three-course plated dinner is included.
Please indicate any special dietary requirements.

SUBTOTAL: \$ _____

ADD 5% GST \$ _____

TOTAL (PAYMENT ENCLOSED) \$ _____
Cheque payable to SEABC

Please make cheque payable to SEABC
Mail this form and cheque to:
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Vancouver, BC V5Y 1N5
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Registration will be confirmed via e-mail. Registration cannot be guaranteed if received after February 27, 2015.
An administration fee of \$25 will apply to any cancellations received by February 27, 2015. No refunds given after February 27, 2015.